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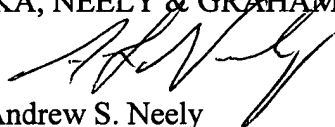
By this amendment, all claims are cancelled except claims 18-26, which were identified as a species of the invention in the restriction requirement of the parent application, plus new claim 27 which further defines the elements of Claim 18. Examination of these claims is requested.

If any extensions of time are required, they are requested, and if any fees are owing, please charge to Deposit Account Number 12-2355.

Respectfully submitted,

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